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Republican State Ticket

For Governor, JAMES A. BEAVER, of Centre county.
For Lieutenant Governor, WILLIAM T. DAVIES, of Bradford county.

Republican County Ticket

For Congressman, LOUIS E. ATKINSON, (Subject to the decision of the district Conference.)
For Assembly, AARON S. HELFRICH, of Spring.

Thursday, October 7, 1886.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Court convened Monday, Sept. 27, 1886, at 11 o'clock, a. m. Present Hon. J. C. Bacher and his associates Hon. S. A. Wetzel and Hon. A. J. Smith.

Tipstaves appointed were Henry Gemberling, J. H. Fetterolf, J. M. Bingaman, R. M. Herrold and Henry Reigle.

On the petition of Levi Pick for a soldiers' peddler license, the Court ordered and directed that a license be made out.

In estate of Daniel Hummel, Daniel Beaver was appointed guardian of the minor of said decedent.

Hattie Bower by her next friend, etc., vs. Oscar Bower. Subpoena in disguise.

In estate of Daniel Dunkelberger, dec'd, Simon Oldt appointed guardian of the minor children of said decedent.

In the matter of inquisition on the body of John Sauer, dec'd, inquest approved and the county ordered to pay the costs.

In the estate of Samuel Bargo, dec'd, Jacob H. Harlan, appointed guardian of Simon Bargo, a minor child of said decedent.

Inquest on the body of George Kline appointed.

In the estate of Joseph Eby, dec'd, return to order of sale confirmed.

In the estate of Abbie Keiser, dec'd, M. S. Shroyer appointed guardian of the minor children.

The Widows' Appraisements and the accounts of Executors, Administrators, Guardians, Assignees, &c. were all confirmed as advertised except those hereinafter mentioned:

Commonwealth vs. Thomas R. Mitman—reason, a new trial made absolute.

In the estate of Abraham Eisenhower, dec'd, order of sale granted.

In the estate of Peter Sholly, dec'd, S. S. Reitz appointed guardian of Isaac Sholly.

In the estate of Amos Nerhood, dec'd, return to order of sale confirmed.

In the estate of Peter Bolig, dec'd, rule granted on heirs to show cause why the real estate should not be sold under the will.

Commonwealth vs. Elias Long. Defendant was found not guilty and the costs divided between him and Roswell Moyer, the prosecutor; the same on another indictment, and Reuben Walter was ordered to pay the costs.

Samuel Bowen, et. al. vs. D. R. Kulp, et. al. This was an action of debt brought by the plaintiff to recover damages they sustained by reason of an action of ejectment for the recovery of the land and action of estoppel for stay waste on a piece of timber land on which the said plaintiffs were operating on under a lease from Samuel Bowers, dec'd.

Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of \$1875 with interest from the date of the bill of estoppelment.

In the estate of W. S. Kramer,

dec'd. order of sale awarded. The Sheriff of Snyder county acknowledged deeds of Edward Hartman, James M. Shuman, and Sarah A. Tobias. C. A. Miller vs. Z. P. Gross, appeal transcript. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$49.95. Court adjourned until November 5, at 9 a. m.

ADAMSBURG NEWS.

Ward H. Mills of Salisburg, will address the Prohibition Mass Meeting here on Friday evening, Oct. 8. Lay aside party prejudices and hear what he has to say.

Rev. Cyrus Walter of Centerville, who represents one of the leading nurseries in this country, gave us a taste of the Niagra grape last week which is the finest in the world.

A. B. Dejong is painting Smith's store room. Adam is a busy workman.

Wm. Woodling has treated his house to a new pavement.

Reuben Dreese and H. I. Romig attended the Pennsylvania Synod of the Ev. Lutheran Church at Centre Hall last week. All ministers having charges in the bounds of the Synod were present, besides Rev. Clutz of Baltimore, Rev. Heilman of Denver, Col. Rev. Sweitzer, representing the "Lutheran Observer," Phil'a, Rev. Zimmerman of York, and Dr. McNight, Pres. Gettysburg College.

Rev. A. H. Spangler was elected President, Sam'l F. Greenhoe, Sec., W. H. Diven, Treas.

Smith & Wetzel are putting the finishing touches on Dr. Smith's new house.

We are glad to state that Lewis Helfrich who fell from a scaffold and broke his leg, made his appearance on our streets on crutches this week.

Adam Smith and Levi Miller left town one day last week at 10 o'clock and returned in the evening with 29 squirrels which they killed during the day. This is the best record made yet.

Prof. Witmer, late Principal of our Normal, left on Tuesday for Lexington, Va., to complete his legal course in the Washington & Lee University. Success.

Mrs. Laura Parks of Sunbury, is the guest of H. I. Romig.

The District Sunday School Convention of Spring and Beaver township was held in the Ev. Lutheran church last week. The constitution recommended by the State Association was adopted. H. I. Romig was elected Moderator, D. H. Manbeck Secretary, and each of them appointed one clerk, who shall

program was carried out to the letter and a number of able speakers participated in the discussions. All the sessions were well attended and everything passed off in the most encouraging manner.

J. W. Specht, our enterprising merchant is in eastern cities laying in his fall and winter stock of goods—he will make boots and shoes a specialty.

Hattie Smith is on the sick list. Israel Sanders sold his house and lot to W. P. Gross for \$500.

A Nomination that Goes Begging.

MIFFLINTOWN, Pa., Oct. 1.—The Democratic Congressional Conference, composed of the counties of Juniata, Perry, Snyder, Huntingdon, Franklin and Fulton, which was advertised to meet in Newport on Saturday, has been postponed until Tuesday, October 5. The only avowed candidate is Col. Hilbish of Snyder.

The Democracy of Juniata have recommended George Jacobs, Congressman Atkinson's law partner, but he does not seek the nomination. The name of Col. Kennedy, of Franklin, has been mentioned, but it is not likely that he will accept.

There will be no contest and who ever desires the nomination will receive the unanimous vote of the conference after the first ballot.

TO THE FISH COMMISSIONERS

The spathy of the Fish Commissioners of the State of Pennsylvania and the unblushing impudence of the fish pirates has led to the building by the latter of fish dams and baskets in almost every stream of decent size. Not only have these violators of the law put their dams in the Susquehanna where the officers of the law can see them as they walk along front street in Harrisburg, but they have built them as far south as the State line, and passengers on the Northern Central and Pennsylvania railroads can count from the car windows scores of fish dams along the Susquehanna and Juniata rivers, that the builders defy the authorities to tear down.

Let the fish Commissioners desist from their useless task of breeding fancy game fish to stock our streams and turn their attention to the protection of the fish already existing therein.—Harrisburg Tel.

NOT MUCH OF A SCARE.

The Maine Prohibitionists made a great deal of noise about the revolution they were going to create in the politics of the Pine Tree State, before the election. There forces were concentrated there for several weeks. St. John made guilt-edged speeches at \$50 a piece, and to the delight of the democratic party, made violent attacks on the Republican party.

The returns show the strength of the party to be almost exactly 3 per cent of the total vote of the State. This is less than the percentage in either Michigan or Massachusetts two years ago. In Massachusetts the vote was 3.19 per cent, of the total vote, and in Michigan it was 4.20 per cent, the high water mark, we believe, of Prohibition achievement.

The Prohibition vote in Maine in 1884 was 2,160; in 1886 it is 3,872; If the percentage of gain in Snyder county is not greater than in Maine the Prohibitionists will be obliged to make affidavits after election to convince the public that they were really in politics.

But it would be interesting to know just what the 3,872 Prohibitionists in Maine were voting for. They have already put prohibition into the statutes. They have put it into the state constitution. They have made it a part of the moral creed of the community. Do they want to punish the Republican managers for refusing to take the last step in summary legislation, namely, to make the act of drinking rum, wine or beer a criminal offense?

Can You See a Wolfe in this Picture?

"When the brave men who conquered the rebellion and purchased peace, honor and safety with their precious blood, laid down the weapons of war and returned to the peaceful pursuits from which they had been called, they retained in their hands weapons sufficiently powerful to protect and defend the liberties for which they fought so bravely and so successfully. And if the lessons of the war are not forgotten the ballot in the freeman's hands will win victories over wrong more enduring than the victories of war.

"It is a fact—I need not say a lamentable fact—that men of patriotic impulses, professedly ready and willing to serve their country with unselfish devotion, have proven themselves to be more time-worers—seeking their own—

who, when finding themselves losing ground upon the public purse or position, renounce the faith they once professed, and turn to read the hands that fed them. Men who must strut on the public stage, or feed at the public crib to keep their patriotism from effervescing! Guiteau was a political tramp who has his counterpart in the man who poses as a patriot until his aspirations for position, in which he hopes to see his name heralded to an admiring world, are rejected, then attempts to reform the world after his own fashion. Others, with the egotism of the assassin love their country and their kind only so long as they can hear the sweet music of applause, and in the moment when an iota of self-sacrifice is required, or the bubble of their pride is pricked, are ready to desert the cause for which you fought—for which your comrades died. Not with the boldness of the Anarchist, they seek to divide and conquer; but are always ready and willing to ride in any chariot only so it moves amid a noisy throng and bears them in the direction of some coveted office. This class of "patriots" have their uses in the body politic as the pestiferous insect has in the fruit garden. Their power of evil is limited by the beams of light thrown upon them. Their brief hour upon the stage is all of life for them. The great body of American citizens are patriotic to the marrow in their bones. The hearts of true patriots beat in unison as steadily as you teamp to the music of the Union when elbow touched elbow, and the iron hail of death was the baptism to which you were marching.

"The safety of the republic is in the intelligence of her people. Use the weapons in your hands for the promotion of the general welfare, and with them 'shoot' the political mountebank"—(Extract from a speech delivered on the 3d day of July last, at Laurelton, Pa., by S. H. Orwig, Esq.)

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G. M. Shindel.

WHO ARE NOT DEMOCRATS.

It was James A. Garfield, who said: "So long as slavery and a war linger within the memory of Americans, the youth of the Republic will grow up Republicans; and slavery and the war will be remembered as long as the public school system exists. The public schools have slain the Democratic party with its text books.

"The children go to school. The first reader contains a portrait of Abraham Lincoln; that kind and sturdy face never made a Democrat. On its simple pages, in words of one and two syllables is told the story of his birth and death. That story never made a Democrat. In the pranks of the playground the name silences the frolicsome and makes the jolliest grave. That name never made a Democrat. In the pictures that light up the geography are the firing on Fort Sumpter and the death of Ellsworth. These pictures make no Democrats. The first page of the history contains a representation of the surrender of Lee at Appomatox. No boy gazes on that and ever avows himself a Democrat.

"In the higher grades the same influences are at work. The text books contain extracts from patriots' speeches during the war. These speeches make no Democrats. The great battles are briefly described; the narrative has no Democratic listeners. The strain of martial music runs through the readers, and that music makes no Democrats. Sketches of the great Generals are given; their brave deeds arouse the enthusiasm of the lads, but there is no Democrat among them. The horrors and sufferings of the slaves are told, the maddened blood that mounts the boy's cheeks is not Democratic blood. The curse of slavery had pursued the Democratic party and is hounding it to its grave.

"Other influences than the text books have been at work: The young wife who held the babe to kiss the father as he hurried to the tap of his departing regiment has not suckled a Democrat. The weary foot of the gray grandmother, who watched the children while the wife was busy, has not rocked the cradle of a Democrat. The old blue coat that his comrades carried back was cut up for little jackets, but not one enclosed the heart of a Democrat.

The rattled musket which fell from him with his last shot, became the thoughtless toy of his boys; but not a hand that played with it was the hand of a Democrat. The babe he kissed and crowded for his return, and its unwarmed notes were not from the throat of a Democrat. The tear-soiled camp-letters which the mother read aloud in the long, bitter evenings, while the boys clustered at her knees, did not fall upon Democratic ears. The girls sobs, blending with the mother's weeping, did not make Democrats of their brothers. Perhaps the father had been a Democrat all his life. The youth of the country is not Democratic. The party is, therefore, without a future and without a hope. The malediction of war has palsied its brain; the curse of slavery has poisoned its blood and rotted its love."

With tearful pathos and sublime patriotism, the young men listen to the tramp, tramp, tramp, of the ever present crutches, as they bear the battle-scarred soldier on his triumphant march to the gubernatorial chair. Young men educated in the public schools, will ring out the death-knell of the Free Trade Democracy in Pennsylvania. The tread of those ever-faithful crutches make no Democratic votes, and every re-

sounding step they take helps swell the great majority that will be cast for Gen. James A. Beaver, the man so greatly wronged four years ago—so bravely being righted now.

Among the old papers in the county Clerk's office in Freehold, N. J. is the death sentence of a negro named Caesar. It reads: "Therefore, the Court doth judge that thou, the said Caesar, shall return to the place from which thou camest and from thence to the place of execution, when thy right hand shall be cut off and burned before thine eyes. Then thou shalt be hanged up by the neck until thou art dead; then thy body shall be cut down and burned to ashes in a fire, and so the lord have mercy on thy soul Caesar."

NOTICE TO HEIRS.

In the matter of the Estate of George S. Musser, late Franklin township, Snyder county, Pa., dec'd.

The said Musser intermarried with Keuben Row, John Musser, Franklin P. Musser, Angelina Musser intermarried with H. J. Keiser, all residing in Snyder County, Pa. Ada Musser intermarried with Elias Bulle, now residing at Mt. Carey, O. Harriet Musser now intermarried with John Miller residing at Millburg, Union County, Pa. and Harrison Musser residing at Elmer, Putnam County, Ohio, heirs and legal representatives of George Musser, dec'd.

You are hereby cited to be and appear before the Judges of our Orphans' Court, at an Orphan's Court to be held at Middleburgh on the 2nd Monday of DEC. A. D. 1886 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to accept or refuse to take the said Estate, and said George Musser dec'd, at the appraised valuation put upon it by an inquest duly awarded by the said Court and returned by the Sheriff of said county, or show cause why the same should not be sold. And hereof fail not.

Witness the Hon. Joseph C. Beecher, Esq., President of our said Court, at Middleburgh, Pa. W. W. WITTEMYER, Prothonotary.

ORPHAN'S COURT SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order issued out of the Orphan's Court of Snyder county, Pa., the undersigned Executors of the Estate of Abraham Edley, late of Penn township, Snyder county, Pa., will expose to Public Sale on the premises, to-wit:

Saturday, October 30, 1886, the following valuable Real Estate to-wit: 120 Acres.

more or less, situate in Penn Township, Snyder county, Pa., bounded North by Henry Weorndt, East by George and How of Row, South by Charles Miller, and West by Mary Erdly, whereon are erected A GOOD HOUSE, AND BARN, Orchard, good water, a portion of above tract is well timbered.

TERMS: 25 per cent, when the property is struck down, one-half of the balance on April 1, 1887, and remainder October 1, 1887, the last payment to bear interest from April 1, 1887 when possession will be given.

MORRIS EADLY, HENRY EADLY, Executors.

REAL ESTATE AT PUBLIC SALE!

The heirs of Elias Wetzel, late of West Beaver township, Snyder county, Pa., dec'd, will expose to Public Sale, on the old Homestead, five miles north-west of Adamsburg, on

Friday, October 22, 1886, the following real estate, to-wit: All that certain tract of land, situate in West Beaver township, Snyder county, Pa., containing

258 ACRES, and 120 perches, bounded north by lands of Geo. Wetzel, east by William Stealey, Henry Yotter and others, south by Martha Haines, and west by Samuel Stumpf; John Goss and others, whereon are erected A GOOD HOUSE, BARN, and all other necessary out buildings, with good fruit, good water, and two fine orchards. The above tract is also a part of a good state of cultivation, excepting about 90 Acres which is well timbered.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day when terms will be made known by THE HEIRS.

For particulars address: Tillman Wetzel, Middlebrook, Snyder county, Pa.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned Assignee will sell at public vendue, on

Saturday, Oct. 23, 1886, on the premises hereinafter described, situate in Chapman township, Snyder county, Pa., about three and a half miles from Freeburg, Pa., the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land, situate in Chapman township, Snyder county, Pa., on the public road leading from the Susquehanna river to Freeburg, Pa., adjoining on the east by lands of Jacob H. Strawser, on the south by lands of Rev. S. P. Brown and J. P. Whit, on the west by lands of David M. Swartz, on the north by lands of Daniel Greenhart and Jacob H. Strawser, containing

74 Acres, and improvements consist of two ONE-STORY DWELLING HOUSES and a number of choice fruit trees, good running water near the house. About 12 acres of the above is woodland, located about half a mile from the improved land, sold as the property JOHN BORDNER, Sr.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, when due attendance will be given and the terms of sale made known by JOHN H. OHOLD, Assignee of JOHN BORDNER, Sr. REBER & O'REILLY, Attorneys, Reading, Pa. Persons desiring further information will please apply to THOMAS KATZ, Successor Hall Falls, Pa.

This space is reserved for Sol. Oppenheimer's new adv.

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strike in prices!

As strikes are the order of the day I have inaugurated the movement in Snyder county—not for higher wages or less hours, but a STRIKE AT HIGH PRICES. Cash business has become the order of the day and the prices must correspond with the progress of the times. I have therefore prepared myself for the cash trade of the county by purchasing a large stock of GOOD GOODS which I have

MARKED DOWN to the lowest possible margin in exchange for ready money. I keep no books, lose nothing on accounts and discount my bills, thus saving an average of at least fifteen per cent, which benefit I give to my purchasers. Come and see me and I will convince you of the advantages of this new departure.

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Advertisement for Friedman & Getz, Beavertown, Snyder County, Pa., featuring the text: 'The undersigned are in the Eastern Cities this week and will return with Immense Stock of goods. FRIEDMAN & GETZ, Beavertown, Snyder County, Pa.'